

## Solari Community Center

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Types of Programs: After-school recreation, fee class, rental, senior, sports leagues, and youth programs, and special events.

### ARTS & CRAFTS

#### Cartoon Drawing I \$42

This class will teach the elements of telling stories with pictures. Students will learn basic cartooning, drawing, painting, and storytelling. They will learn to write, draw, paint, and self-publish their own comic books. Children will have fun expanding their imagination. This class will require additional supplies to be purchased by the student.

*Instructor: Coyle*

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.101	Th	1/29-3/18	4:30-5:30pm	5-15	8	SL

#### Cartoon Drawing II \$42

Children will participate in several drawing activities that allow them to see objects as they really appear. Learn how to draw realistic self-portraits & learn perspective and proportion. Oils, pastels, watercolor, colored pencils, etc. will be used in class. This class will require additional supplies to be purchased by the student.

*Instructor: Coyle*

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.102	Th	1/29-3/18	5:30-6:30pm	8-15	8	SL

#### Quilting - Beginning \$62

Get out your box of scrap fabric and make this beautiful quilt. If you are new to quilting, it can be made with eight different fabrics. Also the cozy rag time quilt and a variation will be demonstrated. The quilts are machine quilted and the instructions will be handed out in class. Bring your own sewing machine. Quilting material supplies can be purchased with the teacher.

*Instructor: Gill*

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.131	Th	1/29-3/4	9am-12pm	18+	6	SL

#### Floral Arranging \$42

Basic floral design as an art form. This class will use primarily fresh flowers for the arrangements. Each class you will bring home a new arrangement. Student is responsible for his/her own flowers. Flowers can be purchased through the teacher or on your own.

*Instructor: Hui*

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.171	Th	1/29-2/19	6:30-8:30pm	18+	4	SL

### EARLY CHILDHOOD RECREATION

*Please read the ECR Policy on page 14.*

#### KinderTots \$140

This class emphasizes age appropriate activities, which may include crafts, stories, drama, music, and games used to develop socialization skills, hand/eye coordination, and motor skills. Children should have a general understanding of their numbers and letters, so that these skills can be improved, however the emphasis of the class is recreation only. It is not a licensed day care program. Child must be toilet trained.

*No class: 2/16*

*Instructor: Garza*

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.303	M/W/F	1/26-2/20	9am-12pm	4-5	11	SL
231.3.304	M/W/F	3/1-3/26	9am-12pm	4-5	12	SL

#### Tiny Tots \$110

This class will help your child prepare for pre-school and kindergarten. Classes are designed to promote independence, and improve social, cognitive, and movement skills. Activities include crafts, stories, playtime and simple learning concepts. This class is recreation only. It is not a licensed day care program. Child must be toilet trained and able to attend the class by themselves.

*Instructor: Garza*

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.305	T/Th	1/27-2/19	9am-12pm	3-4	8	SL
231.3.306	T/Th	3/2-3/25	9am-12pm	3-4	8	SL

### MUSIC/THEATER ARTS

#### Ballet/Tap Beg \$47

Beginning lessons for ballet/tap. Students must wear hard soled shoes and loose clothing or leotard. Parents are allowed to stay for the first 10 minutes of the first day of class and for the class recital. Participants must be toilet trained.

*No Class: 2/14*

*Instructor: Dance Arts Academy*

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.406	W	1/28-3/17	5:30-6:30pm	3-7	8	SL
231.3.407	Sa	1/24-3/20	10:30-11:30am	3-7	8	SL

*Parks and Recreation is for everyone!  
Let us know what accommodations we can make for your need!*



## MUSIC/THEATER ARTS

### Hip Hop/Jazz \$47

Explore beginner and intermediate Hip Hop dance, music and culture through regular practice of various routines and dance techniques. Develop coordination skills, interpersonal skills, and overcome performance anxiety... and of course have fun doing it.

No Class: 2/14

Instructor: Dance Arts Academy

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.404	W	1/28-3/17	5:30-6:30pm	13-17	8	SL
231.3.405	Sa	1/24-3/20	12:30-1:30pm	8-12	8	SL

### Piano Keyboard I \$70

A class in basic piano skills and music reading. Principles of rhythm, melody, harmony and ear training are taught with the aid of tonally accurate portable keyboards provided by the instructor. Participants will enjoy this individual approach. Access to a piano or keyboard is recommended. A \$7.00 music book fee payable to the instructor, will be collected at the first class. Students must bring their own set of headphones.

No class: 2/14

Instructor: Noteworthy Music

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.401	Sa	1/24-3/20	1:45-2:30pm	7-12	8	SL

### Piano Keyboard II \$70

Student must complete Keyboard I or show instructor keyboard ability. Course will continue developing skills from music book.

No Class: 2/14

Instructor: Noteworthy Music

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.402	Sa	1/24-3/20	2:30-3:15pm	7-12	8	SL

### Piano Keyboard II/III \$70

Student must complete Keyboard II or show instructor keyboard ability. Course will continue developing skills from music book.

No Class: 2/14

Instructor: Noteworthy Music

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.403	Sa	1/24-3/20	3:15-4pm	7-12+	8	SL

### Kinder Gym \$47

Designed to teach basic gymnastic skills, including movement exploration, balance and coordination. Parents may attend a 10-minute overview at the first class meeting and a performance at the last class meeting only.

No Class: 2/14

Instructor: Dance Arts Academy

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.408	W	1/28-3/17	6:30-7:30pm	3-7	8	SL
231.3.409	Sa	1/24-3/20	11:30am-12:30pm	3-7	8	SL

*We create community  
through People,  
Parks & Programs.*



## SPORTS & FITNESS

### Cheerleading I \$52

Children will learn cheerleading moves, routines and cheers. This class will help children gain self-esteem while having fun learning. This class is designed to teach beginners the basics and improve the skills of those more advanced. By the end of the session the children will be ready for an in class cheerleading competition with their peers. Pom Poms will be available for purchase from the instructor. Uniforms will also be available for purchase but are not required.

Instructor: KidSafe

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.501	Th	1/17-3/18	5:30-6:10pm	5-13	8	SL

### Floor Gymnastics \$47

Like to move? Come and learn basic gymnastic skills such as cartwheels, backbends, headstands, and more.

No Class: 2/14

Instructor: Dance Arts Academy

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.502	Sa	1/24-3/20	9:30-10:30am	8-12	8	SL

### Karate - Beginning \$60

This class is designed for children and adults. All classes include self-defense and stress the importance of self-confidence and mental discipline. Wear loose and comfortable clothing the first day of class, and check with instructor for more details on clothing requirements.

No Class: 2/14

Instructor: KidSafe

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.503	Sa	1/24-3/20	9:30-10:10am	5-7	8	SL

### Karate I \$60

Students will learn traditional Japanese Karate, along with Japanese culture, philosophy, history, and language. All classes include self-defense and stress the importance of self-confidence and mental discipline. Wear loose and comfortable clothing the first day of class, and check with instructor for more details on clothing requirements. There is additional fee for belt testing and certification payable to the instructor. Beginner classes are open to everyone.

No Class: 2/14

Instructor: KidSafe

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.504	Sa	1/24-3/20	10:15-10:55am	8-13	8	SL

### Karate II - Intermediate \$60

Students that have already studied Funakoshi Shotokan and earned the rank of blue belt and above are welcome in this class. Intermediate and advanced katas (forms) and tournament style Kumite (sparring) are taught. There is an additional fee for belt testing and certification payable to the instructor.

No Class: 2/14

Instructor: KidSafe

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.505	Sa	1/24-3/20	11-11:40am	All	8	SL

**SPORTS & FITNESS****Tennis - Adult Beginning \$42**

Introduction to basic strokes, including forehand, backhand, overhead serve (lob and net) racquet size purchase guidelines, court etiquette and score keeping. Doubles and singles strategies will be taught. Wear court sneakers. Students provide their own racquet and one unopened can of tennis balls.

No Class: 2/14

Instructor: Bartholomew

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.506	W	1/28-3/17	11am-12pm	18+	8	SL
231.3.511	Sa	1/24-3/20	9:40-10:40am	18+	8	SL

**Tennis - Beginning \$30**

Introduction to basic strokes, including forehand, backhand, overhead serve (lob and net) racquet size purchase guidelines, court etiquette and score keeping. Doubles and singles strategies will be taught. Wear court sneakers. Students provide their own racquet and one unopened can of tennis balls.

No Class: 2/14

Instructor: Bartholomew

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.507	Th	1/29-3/18	3:30-4pm	All	8	SL
231.3.509	Sa	1/24-3/20	8:30-9am	8-15	8	SL
231.3.510	Sa	1/24-3/20	9-9:30am	All	8	SL

**Tennis - Youth League \$42**

Youth League is a team with other students in the class playing small tournaments using basic strokes, including forehand, backhand, overhead serve (lob and net) racquet size purchase guidelines, court etiquette and score keeping. Doubles and singles strategies will be taught. Wear court sneakers. Students provide their own racquet and one unopened can of tennis balls.

Instructor: Bartholomew

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.508	Th	1/29-3/18	4-5pm	8-15	8	SL

**Yoga \$42**

Increase your strength, flexibility, inner balance and vitality by participating in this class designed to reconnect you to your true self. This class will focus on relieving tension in the back, neck, shoulders, and hips through breathing techniques and relaxation. Additionally, special attention will be paid to proper alignment to enhance energy flow and posture.

Instructor: Jindia

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.512	W	1/28-3/17	6:30-7:30pm	18+	8	SL

**SPECIAL EVENTS****Spring Fling 25¢ per Ticket**

Come Join us, and enjoy some "Spring Time" fun! Eff hunts, prizes, carnival games, crafts and lots more. Remember to bring your basket!

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
	Sa	4/3	10am-1pm	3-12	1	SL

**Egg Hunt \$1**

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
	Sa	4/3	10:30am	2-5	1	SL
	Sa	4/3	11:15am	6-8	1	SL
	Sa	4/3	12pm	9-12	1	SL

**Parent's Friday Night Out \$20**

Parents need a Night out!!! Plan your special Valentine's date a night early. Let Solari entertain your special little love one's, they will enjoy, games, crafts, movies, and lots more...while you enjoy some special time, any way you choose. Minimum 20 required (family rate 3 or more children \$15 per child)

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.333	F	2/13	6-8pm			SL

**SENIOR CLASSES****Ceramics Free**

Bring your own ceramic pieces, and paints, enjoy painting with friends. Greenware pieces are fired in our kiln for free.

Instructor: DelGadillo

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
2313.801	T	Ongoing	8:30-11:30am	50+		SL

**Computers - Beginning Free**

Computer Internet Class Training. This course will mainly focus on teaching basic beginning computer skills, Introduction to Internet, and Beginning skill for moving around on the desktop. No Class: 2/14

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.803	Sa	1/24-3/20	10-12pm	50+	8	SL

**Tai Chi Free**

Introduction into Tai Chi and QiQuong. The vital power that flows through the universe and all things. In this class we will strive to awaken the feeling of Chi in our bodies through a series of gentle flowing movements that leave the body and mind relaxed, calm and energized.

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.802	Th	Ongoing	12-1pm	50+		SL

*Keep the Guide handy as reference. . .or recycle it by passing it along to a neighbor, or co-worker*



## Tracy Wilson Youth Center

3590 Cas Drive, San José

Monday – Friday  
Youth 12 to 17 yrs.  
2:30-7pm

This program is open to youth from the ages of 12 to 17 years old. We offer a variety of programs, for example - billiards, foosball, ping pong, video games, tournaments, arts and crafts, clubs, field trips, special events and more.  
For more information about our programs please call 408-224-1520.

## YOUTH PROGRAMS

### Winter Basketball \$30

A funpetitive Basketball program. All games are held at Andrew Hill High School. Schedule to be announced before games begin. VOLUNTEER COACHES NEEDED, please call 408-224-0415 for information.  
*No games: 2/14*

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.901	S	1/24-3/20	9am-1pm	3-16		Andrew Hill

### Kennedy Home Work Help \$15/wk

An extended recreation care program. Children will have a chance to econtinue home work not completed during regular recreation hours.  
*No program: 1/19, 2/14*

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.902	M-F	1/5-3/30	5-6:30pm	5-12		Kennedy El

### B "OFF Track" Camp \$40/wk

A camp for children within Franklin McKinley School District. Participants will engange in fun activities that include weekly field trips, arts and crafts, large and small group games, cooking, team building and problem solving activities on a daily basis.  
*No Camp: 1/19*

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.903	M-F	1/5-1/30	9am-5pm	5-12	5	SL

### A "OFF Track" Camp \$40/wk

*No Camp: 2/14*

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.904	M-F	2/2-2/24	9am-5pm	5-12	5	SL

### C "OFF Track" Camp \$40/wk

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.906	M-F	3/22-4/2	9am-5pm	5-12	5	SL

### D "OFF Track" Camp \$40/wk

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.905	M-F	2/25-3/19	9am-5pm	5-12	5	SL

### Camp AM Care \$21/wk

An early morning camp care for parents on the go. No care: 1/19,2/14

Course#	Day	Date	Time	Age	Mtg.	Loc.
231.3.921	M-F	1/5-1/30	7:30-9am	5-12	5	SL
231.3.923	M-F	2/2-2/24	7:30-9am	5-12	5	SL
231.3.925	M-F	2/25-3/19	7:30-9am	5-12	5	SL
231.3.927	M-F	3/22-4/2	7:30-9am	5-12	5	SL

Free sports league: middle school and high school Basketball league. Come by and pick-up a monthly calendar for a schedule of daily events. For more information about our program please call 408-224-1520.

## Youth Activities Grant Fund

The City of San José Department of Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services has established a Youth Activities Grant Fund to expand recreational opportunities for disadvantaged youth. This fund allows disadvantaged youth to participate in classes, programs, and activities. By donating to the Youth Activities Grant Fund, you will provide an underprivileged youth opportunities previously unavailable. If you are interested in the program or to learn more about the Youth Scholarship Assistance Program, please contact your nearest PRNS Community Center or other PRNS Facility.



*Our Mission: To support the livability of neighborhoods, offer opportunities for individuals to enjoy life and strengthen communities of people.*

## SAN JOSE AFTER SCHOOL

## Solari Area

**San José After School** is a partnership by the City of San José, with school districts, community-based organizations, teachers and parents to provide safe, fun and enriching activities for youth after school.

After school programs promote healthy youth development and student learning. This includes homework centers and tutoring, recreation, arts, and enrichment activities, and technology centers. Youth will enjoy safe, fun, and enriching activities at sites located throughout San José.

There are wonderful after school programs in your area. For more information about schools, libraries, and centers offering after school programs, please contact 408-277-4643.

**Types of Programs**

**Level 1: Homework Assistance.** Level one sites offer after school homework help at many locations in San José.

**Level 2: Safe and Accessible After School Programs.** Level two sites will offer integrated recreation and literacy and math enrichment programs.

**Level 3: Integrated and Comprehensive approach after school programs.** Level three sites integrate literacy, leadership, education, nutrition, cultural arts and recreation activities.

Sites	Level of Program	Time
Cpt. Jason Dahl Elem. School	Level 3, Comprehensive	2:30-5:00pm
George Shirakawa, Sr. Elementary School	Level 3, Comprehensive	2:30-5:00pm
Los Arboles Elementary School	Level 3, Comprehensive	2:30-6:00pm
Kennedy Elementary School	Level 3, Comprehensive	2:30-5:00pm
Seven Trees Elementary School	Level 1, Homework Assistance	*
Sylvandale Middle School	Level 3, Comprehensive	2:30-6:00pm
Solari Community Center/ASEP	Level 3, Comprehensive	2:00-6:00pm

\* Homework Assistance offered at individual sites immediately following the end of the school day (approximately 2:30-3:30pm).

**Do you have a talent, hobby, or special skill to share with others?**

Turn that skill into cash by becoming a class instructor. Apply on-line at

**[jobs.cityofsj.org](http://jobs.cityofsj.org)**

or call (408) 979-7829 for more information.

# Tennis Anyone?

Twenty-one City parks include tennis courts for City residents to enjoy. Many of these courts may be reserved by calling (408) 369-3907.

Tennis classes are offered through many City community centers. Check the class listings for times and locations.

